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INVESTIGATIONS DIV., ATT. SMB FROM THOMAS R. BOYD, CUSTOMS
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E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS:
SUBJECT: NARCOTICS SEIZURES BY ITALIAN GUARDIA DI FINANZA NARCOTICS
DETECTOR DOGS

1. ON AUGUST 31, 1977, ITALIAN GUARDIA DI FINANZA OFFICERS
SEIZED 490 GRAMS OF HEROIN AND 19 KGS. OF HASHISH AT THE
PORT OF BRINDISI, ITALY. THE FIND WAS MADE BY GUARDIA DI
FINANZA DETECTOR DOG ASTOR WHO IS ONE OF THE DOGS FROM
THE FIRST COURSE TRAINED UNDER THE U.S. CUSTOMS METHOD.

2. THIS IS NOT ASTOR'S FIRST SEIZURE, BUT FIRST ONE OF
HEROIN. DOG DETECTED NARCOTICS IN SPITE OF BEING PACKED
IN CLOVES TO MASK THE SCENT.

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